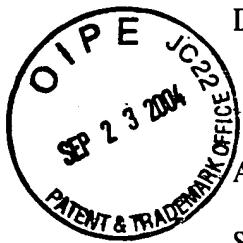


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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 20, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: